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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Tohru MITA et al. ) Group Art Unit:  
Serial No.: 10/050,548 ) Examiner:  
Filed: January 18, 2002 )  
For: AUDIO SIGNAL OUTUTTING )  
METHOD AND BGM )  
GENERATION METHOD )

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
TO RESPOND TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one (1) month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated February 14, 2002.

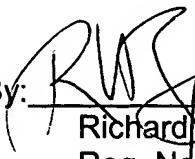
A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed.

This amount represents the extension fee for filing the Response To Notice To File Missing Parts within one month following the expiration of the due date.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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